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Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtic.

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PUBLIC AFFAIRS:

Or, The Hiſtory of Europe.

WE cannot help the contradictions and inconſiſtencies, which we are ſometimes obliged to give under this head. The proper ſubjects of *News* are *new* matters, and the foreign prints are careful to furniſh us with theſe, of ſome kind or another, every week. All we can do is to relate, in our own manner, the ſubſtance of what they give us. We have often made this apology, and we hope it is admitted. Our own reflections are all that we are accountable for; and for them we are accountable only in proportion to the probability ariſing from the current news, with which we make them.

It was our opinion, many weeks ago, that the ſtorm in the North was not unlikely to blow over: And all the advices, from different parts, now agree, that a *perfect* accommodation is not only hoped for, but even expected. Since our laſt we have been told from Peterſburg, that the encampments in Finland and Livonia would probably end only in a review, for the entertainment of the grand prince of Ruſſia: And advices of a yet later date ſuggeſt, that it is even doubtful whether thoſe encampments will take place at all, in the manner that has been given out. Tho' there is a ſquadron at Conſtadt ready to ſail, it has not yet received any orders for that purpoſe.

Letters from Stockholm leave it as a doubtful matter, whether the Swediſh fleet will at all ſail this ſummer; unleſs any foreign armament ſhould appear in the Baltic. And the ſame letters tell us much of the reſentment, with which not count Teſſin only, the prime miniſter, but his Swediſh majeſty himſelf, has heard the reports that have been raiſed to the diſadvantage of the former, as if he had intentions of altering the ſyſtem of government eſtabliſhed in Sweden, or taking any meaſures to diſturb the public tranquility.

There are even advices which intimate, that an interview will be had betwixt the imperial prince of Ruſſia, and the prince ſucceſſor of Sweden, his near relation, in order entirely to adjuſt ſuch matters as may ſtill cauſe any uneaſineſs betwixt the two nations.

The laſt news of his Pruſſian majeſty was from Breſlau, from whence he was to continue his tour into Upper Sileſia, and the county of Glaiz, reviewing the troops as he paſſes. His whole ſtay from Berlin, according to thoſe advices, is to be very ſhort.

We have had nothing new concerning the Courland election; but a very few weeks muſt give us farther light into that affair, unleſs the time of that election, which was laſt fixed for the Whitſun holidays, ſhould be again poſtponed, in compliance with any of the neighbouring great powers.

Letters from Legnorn continue to ſay much about the new Imperial Eaſt-India company. But we gave our reaſons, this day 7 night, why we cannot think that project will ſucceed. A letter from the ſame place, inſerted below, will ſhew us to what a height the Barbary rovers are grown in the Mediterranean, ſince the Britiſh fleet has been recalled from that ſea. The project of ſuppreſſing thoſe pyratical ſtates, by an united fleet, to be formed by the ſeveral Chriſtian powers who have ports in that Sea, has been formerly mentioned. We are told, that it is apprehended the Turks will take the part of thoſe ſtates, in caſe any attempt be made to execute that ſcheme; and a late order for arming the Turkiſh fleet, is conjectured to have a view to the giving this aſſiſtance. But the Turks were never formidable at ſea, and are very far from being ſo at preſent.

They write from Madrid, that *new* Preliminaries, in order to a *new* Convention, for ſettling *a-new* the Terms of our Trade to Spain, and in the Weſt-Indies, have been agreed upon betwixt Mr. Keene, M. de Caravajal and the Marquis de Enſennada.

Extract of a private Letter from Legborn, April 27.

'There have arrived lately in this Port, three Algezine Corſairs, one having on board 300 Men, another 225, and the ſmalleſt 200; they ſailed about a fortnight ago in company with two other Veſſels, from which they were ſeparated by a tempeſt. The Captains of theſe ſhips report, that at their departure from Algiers there were arrived four Corſairs, with two prizes, one an Engliſh ſhip, the paſſport of which was not in due form, and the other a Venetian veſſel from London, but laſt from Liſbon, having on board a great quantity of gold and jewels, &c. This ſhip was taken in the ſtreights of Gibraltar, after an engagement of ſix hours, in which there were about 100 Turks killed, and 30 Venetians. Beſides this ſmall ſquadron, the Algerines, have another fleet of 11 corſairs at ſea, of which an Engliſh ſhip ſaw five, in her paſſage hither, from Marſeilles. We have likewiſe an account of three other corſairs, that have lately taken four prizes, viz. A Venetian, a Neapolitan, a Genoeſe, and a Spaniſh. It is inconceivable what a conſternation this has occaſioned among the Merchants. The equipment of our Eaſt-India ſquadron goes on with great vigour; one Mr. Miles who was in the ſervice of the Oſtend company, is at the head of the deſign, and is to be governor of the eſtabliſhment intended to be made in that part of the world. Notwithſtanding all this, there are many people here who conſider this in the light of a very chimerical project, and which, for various and good reaſons, cannot be attended with much ſucceſs.'

An Extract of a Letter from a Magiſtrate of Amſterdam, dated May 2.

'The affair of Tobago, which has made ſo much noiſe, will, it's thought, greatly reſemble the ſtorm with which the North has been threaten'd, and end in ſmoke; for the French court now publicly declares, that nothing has been done in that Iſland by public authority, that no body had been ſent thither from Martinico, and that thoſe who had raiſed a battery upon a point of land on that Iſland, and the ſhips of 30 and 40 guns which were upon the coaſts to defend the entry, were only privateers and their crews put out of commiſſion by the peace; and his moſt Chriſtian majeſty having examined all the reaſons alledged in the memorial of the miniſters of a certain court, has diſapproved and diſavowed every thing that has paſſed there, and has promiſed to ſend orders for theſe people to be driven out of the Iſland, and to re-eſtabliſh things upon the ſame footing they were before the landing of the crews of theſe privateers; which is all that can be wiſh'd for or deſir'd.

LONDON.

April 29. Laſt thurſday morning his royal highneſs the duke of Cumberland appeared at the head of three battalions of the firſt regiment of foot-guards, on the parade in St. James's Park, and marched to do duty in the Green Park. His majeſty was at the garden wall at St. James's for a conſiderable time, from whence he review'd thoſe troops, and ſeem'd well pleas'd at their appearance.

His majeſty and the duke of Cumberland, attended by the dukes of Montagu, Richmond, and Bedford, and ſeveral others of the nobilty, were at the Library to ſee the fireworks, from whence they walk'd about ſeven o'clock into the machine; after which his majeſty made a preſent of a purſe to the officers employ'd in the different branches. The whole band of muſic perform'd at his majeſty's coming and going, and during his ſtay in the machine.

At half an hour after eight, the works were begun by two rock-

rockets discharg'd at the front corners of the inclosure, when the cannon with the chevaux de frize were fir'd, and were followed by 101 pieces of cannon placed on Conſtitution Hill; after which a great number of rockets of different ſorts, ballons, &c. were diſcharged to ſurprizing perfection.

About half an hour after nine, in diſcharging ſome of the works from the pavilion at the left wing of the building, it ſet fire to the ſame, and burnt with great fury; and had not the carpenters made a breach, by cutting away two arches, and removing the timber, and for the aſſiſtance of ſome fire-engines which were in readineſs, in all probability the whole fabric had been conſum'd. Meſſengers were going to and from his majeſty all the time of this misfortune; and when it was brought under, a preſent was made to the diligent in ſtopping the flames.

During the fire the grand rockets and the ſun were diſcharg'd; but this accident prevented the exhibiting ſome of the moſt conſiderable of the fire-works.

About eleven the whole building was illuminated, and continued ſo 'til between two and three o'clock. His majeſty and the royal family withdrew about twelve.

By one of the large rockets darting ſtrait forward into the ſcaffold near the library, it ſet fire to the cloaths of a young Lady, which would have ſoon deſtroy'd her, but ſome perſons preſent having the preſence of mind to ſtrip her cloaths off immediately, to her ſtays and petticoat, ſhe eſcap'd with only having her face, neck, and breaſt, pretty much ſcorch'd.

Their royal highneſſes the prince and princeſs of Wales, and the young princes and princeſſes, ſaw the fireworks from the earl of Middleſex's houſe in Arlington-Street.

On thurſday night Mr. Servandoni was taken into cuſtody for drawing his ſword and affronting Charles Frederick, Eſq; at the fireworks in the Green-Park. He was yeſterday carried before his royal highneſs the duke of Cumberland, and on aſking pardon diſcharg'd.

The ſame night one Curtis, a painter, fell from the fireworks and beat his brains out.

The ſame night a ſhoemaker was drown'd in the great pond in the Green Park. He was in liquor, and ſtooping to drink, fell in, and notwithſtanding he was ſoon taken out, he was dead.

For the NIGHT *of the* FIRE-WORKS.

THE *ſun*, that us'd to *chear our hearts*,
Now *checks our joy*, 'til he departs:
(This night we give to *noſe* and *laughter)*
——He *ſets*, and *twilight* follows after;
Hark! the *muſic* ſtrikes up! – How it *ſpreads*, how it *ſwells*!
Boo, boo, boo, ſay the *cannon*, – *ding dong*, ſay the *bells*.
See the *rockets dancing* by hundreds on *high*!
Hark, the *thunder* on *earth* they repeat in the *ſky*!
See the *wheels* and the *fountains*, and each *pretty figure*!
And the *ſun*, that mocks *nature's*, and *nearer*, looks *bigger*!
Huzza Boys around!
Be the *inſtruments* drown'd!
Let your *ſhow's* rend the plain!
Huzza Boys! *Huzza* Boys again!
Yet hold! *reflect* amidſt the *dazzling blaze*;
Where theſe things ſo in BRITAIN's happier days?
Shew'd HENRY*, or ſhew'd ELIZA ſights ſo *odd*?
Our *foes* they *humbled*, and they *thank'd* our GOD.
Their *ſubjects* pleas'd, the triumph ended *there*,
And the *firſt leſſon* taught by *peace*, was—SPARE.'
ROME conquer'd *Enemies*, while *vertue* reign'd:
When *pomp* prevail'd, the *Romans* were *enchain'd*.
CÆSAR with *Spectacles* amus'd the crowd:
Their *ſhews* were ſplendid, and their *ſhouts* were *loud*;
But CÆSAR *fix'd the yoke*. – Here cloſe the ſcene:
BRITNOS *reflect*, and miſs not what we *mean*.

* The Fifth. *Lond. Ev. Poſt.*

The Rainbow man of war, now lying in the river Thames, is order'd by the lords of admiralty to convoy the tranſport veſſels to Nova-Scotia, where ſhe will be ſtation'd.

May 2. We are aſſured that when the pavilion took fire, there was a barrel of gunpowder in it of near 100 *lb.* weight, beſides arms for the uſe of the train, which were happily got out in time, otherwiſe muſt have done incredible miſchief.

BOSTON, July 13.

On the 29th ult. came to Town from Canada, Mr. Timothy Brown, where he had been with ſome others to endeavour to redeem ſome Captive Children; by him we have the following Advice, That ſoon after his Arrival at Montreal, one Daniel Madden, an Engliſhman, who is the King's Interpreter, inform'd him, that there was a command of a Thouſand Frenchmen, with a Number of Indians, going to a place called Le Bell River, about 300 Leagues from Canada, on a Branch of Miſſiſippi River, in order to deſtroy ſome Indians that were under Alliegance to the Crown of England, and to drive off the Engliſh, who were building a Fort there: He was likewiſe inform'd of it by divers Engliſh, French and Indians; and alſo ſaw the Men daily gathering and going up the River to their Place of Rendezvous, which was about 12 Miles above Montreal: That the Indians told him, the French, had invited them to go, but that there were but 25 out of all their Caſtles that would go.—That on the 3d of June they went off with their Canoes where they embodied.——Mr. Brown upon his Return, informed the Mayor of Albany of the above Affair, he told him that he knew the Place, that it was ſupported by Pennſylvania, and immediately ſent an Expreſs to Governor Clinton.—

He alſo ſays, That there are nine Cape-Cod Indians at Canada, five of which where taken at Annapolis-Royal, who were under the Command of Col. Gorham, in the Year 1745; ſome of them are ſold as Slaves to the Indians; that they are very deſirous of being redeemed.—There is alſo a Boy who was taken from Rocheſter in New Hampſhire, with Indians at St. Francois, his Name is Jonathan Dore: There is alſo a Girl with the Nuns at Montreal, who is Daughter to the Widow Foſter, taken at or near Caſco Bay; her other Child died at St. Faancois this Spring: There are alſo two young Women in Canada who are Siſters, that were takenin their Paſſage from Edinburgh to New-England, who ſay they have a Kinſman in Boſton named John Bell, their Names are Thomſon, and are ſervants to the French; they very much fear they ſhall tarry ever in that country, except they are ſhortly redeemed.

Mr. Brown further relates, That there a is government ſettling at or near Crown Point; that ſince he went to Montreal, they had erected near 30 ſmall French houſes on both ſides of the lake, and that near 20 families were got there ſince: He was inform'd that the King allowed them three years proviſions, every man a horſe and a cow, all huſbandry utenſils, 150 livers in caſh, and their lands free from rent for 12 years.—

By ſeveral veſſels arrived here from Louiſbourg and Chebucta, we have letters informing, that two French men of war of 80 guns each, and 20 tranſports, with a governor and troops to garriſon the former place were arrived there from France, and that the French governor had offer'd governor Hobſon to tranſport his garriſon to Chebucta, which he accepted of, and orders are come to diſcharge the Veſſels taken up here for that ſervice.— That on the 21ſt of June, Col. Cornwallis, governor of Nova-Scotia, arrived at Chebucta, in his Majeſty's ſhip Sphynx, at which place were alſo arrived Captr Rous, in a ſloop of War, and 15 tranſports, with 2000 Settlers on, board, as alſo Proviſions, Arms and Ammunition, with utenſils for fortifying, building, and clearing of Land, &c. and that the firſt and principal ſettlement will be at or near Chebucta.——That governor Cornwallis intends to keep the tranſport ſhips at Chebucta till next Year, for the convenience of the people, eſpecially women and children, till they have built houſes for their reception on ſhore; and that the ſame encouragement that has been given to the Britiſh troops lately diſbanded, is alſo given to thoſe of governor Shirley's and Sir William Pepperel's Regiment, that ſhall engage in the ſettlement.

We alſo hear, that the French arrived at Louiſbourg, loſt a great number of Men on their paſſage, by the Small-Pox, Yellow Fever, &c. and that our people arrived at Chebucta, loſt only one child in their voyage from England.

We likewiſe hear, that French Rum and Melaſſes were ſo plenty at Louiſburg, that Rum was ſold for nine pence per gallon, and Melaſſes exceeding cheap.

ANNAPOLIS.

Sometime in *June* laſt, one *James Taylor*, who liv'd on the North Weſt Fork of *Nanticoke* River, in *Dorcheſter* County, was kill'd by a Rattle-Snake in the following Manner: As he was plowing in a Field, ſome of his Geer happen'd to break; on which he went to the neighbouring Wood to get ſome Hickery Bark, in order to ſupply the Defect; and walking by a Buſh, he almoſt ſet his Foot on a Hare, which in all Probability the Snake was charming: The Hare immediately fled, and *Taylor*, having got the Bark he wanted, was returning by the ſame Side of the Buſh where he had ſtarted the Hare; when the Rattle-Snake, which he had not ſeen 'til then, ſuddenly bit him by the Ancle. He kill'd the Snake, and went home; where he ſent for an *Indian* (thoſe People being generally well-

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kill'd in such Cases), but he happened to be gone a fishing, and did not come to him 'til Night, by which Time *Taylor* was very much swell'd, and raving: However the *Indian* applied something to him, which much abated the Swelling, and brought him to his Senses; but he was continually crying for Water, which the *Indian* forbid him to take, and sat by him some Time to prevent him, 'til he (the *Indian*) fell asleep; and *Taylor* then prevailed on his Wife to give him a Draught of Water. The *Indian* awaking a while after, and being told what had been done, said, *All the World could not save him*, went away very angry, and the Man died soon after.

Last Thursday, at *Elk-Ridge* in this County, they had a terrible Gust, accompanied with prodigious Hail, which did a vast deal of Damage. The Hailstones were as large as Pigeons Eggs, so that many Birds in the Woods were kill'd thereby; great Quantities of Corn and Tobacco were destroyed by it; one Planter there having lost Tobacco in the Field to the Value of more than one hundred Pounds Sterling, and others suffer'd very much. And on Sunday last they had another Gust, with Hail; but the Hailstones not so large as the other. In some Places there, the Hail was four Inches deep on Monday.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint *John Hepburn*, Esq; to be one of the Judges of Assize, on the Western Shore, in the room of *William Rogers*, Esq; deceased.

We hear that the *Hector* Man of War is gone up *York* River, in *Virginia*, to wait for the *Carteret*, Capt. *Robinson*, in whom will embark Sir *William Gooch*, Bart. and his Family, for *England*, to convoy her about 200 Leagues off the Coast.

Custom House, ANNAPOLIS, *Entered*,

Ship Thistle, Hugh Coulter, from the Isle of May;
Schooner Peggy, William Davis, from Virginia.

Cleared,

Schooner Buxom Joan, William Thomas, for Virginia;
Sloop Benedict, John Jones, for Barbadoes;
Schooner Experiment, William Williams, for Madeira;
Schooner Mulberry, John Jackson, for Virginia.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED from *Annapolis*, about the middle of *July* past, a middle siz'd raw-bon'd red milch Cow, has some white Spots on her Belly; she has a Crop and a Slit in each Ear,

Whoever brings her to Town, or informs where she is, shall have Seven Shillings and Six Pence Reward, from

SIMON DUFF.

ANY young Woman, disengaged, that is willing to wait on a Gentlewoman in her Passage to *Great-Britain*, may be informed of the Terms, by enquiring of the Printer hereof.

This is to give NOTICE,

THAT the Ship *Virginian*, *William Bentley* Master, now lying at *Patapsco* Ferry, having already a sufficient quantity of Tobacco on board to lay her Ground-Tier, will certainly Sail from this Province by the 10th of *September* at furthest. Those Gentlemen who are inclinable to favour Messieurs FLOWERDEWE, and NORTON, Merchants in *London*, with the Consignments of their Tobaccoes, are desired to send their Orders, as soon as possible, to Mr. *James Wood* at *Patapsco*-Ferry, or to the said Master on board his Ship.

THE Printer of this Paper being in great want of Money, begs of those who are Indebted to him, to Pay as soon as they conveniently can.

JUST PUBLISHED,

THE LAWS made and passed at the last Session of Assembly of this Province. To be Sold by the Printer hereof. Price 2*s*. 6*d*.

To be SOLD by Retale, for Ready Money,

AT the Subscriber's House in *Annapolis*, Fine Muscovado Sugar, at 1 *s*. per Pound; choice Melasses, at 4 *s*. 6*d*. per Gallon; Coffee, at 2*s*. 3*d*. per Pound; Chocolate, at 3 *s*. 6*d*. per Pound; very good Bohea Tea, at 21 *s*. per Pound; and Limes, at 6 *s*. per Hundred. MUNGO CAMPBELL.

The said *Campbell* carries on the Pewterer's Business; and will give Ready Money for old Pewter, Copper, and Brass; or exchanges new for old: He likewise Tins all Sorts of Copper and Brass Ware.

To be SOLD by Wholesale,

BY the Subscriber, at his House in *Annapolis*, where he lately kept Store, a large Quantity of *Barbadoes* Rum, Muscovado Sugar, Melasses, and fresh Limes, at Reasonable Rates. ROBERT SWAN.

TO BE SOLD, by Public Vendue, *on Saturday the 19th of* August, *for Ready Pay, in Sterling or Paper Currency, at the Subscriber's Plantation near* Herring-Bay, *the Sale to begin precisely at 12 of the Clock*,

THREE very likely Negro Women and one Negro Boy; the Effects of Mr. *John Hall*,

HARRISON LANE.

TO BE SOLD, OR LETT,

THE Lease (Eleven Years to come) of a good Dwelling-House and Tract of Land, Situate about one Mile from *Annapolis*, whereon the Subscriber now lives who is about to remove to *Baltimore* County. The Dwelling-House is Situate on the *South-River* Road, is 35 Feet by 20, in good Repair, with a large Brick'd Cellar, a Kitchen, Stable, Hen-house, Meat-house, and other conveniencies: There is likewise a good Garden, Corn-Ground for about 70 or 80 Barrels of Corn, Pasture Ground well inclosed, and the Land very kind and arable, and convenient to the Market.

Any Person inclinable to Purchase, may treat with the Subscriber, and have a good Bargain. NATH. RUMNEY.

N. B. The said House is very convenient for a Tavern; and whoever agrees for it, may be supplied, very reasonably, with Corn and Fodder on the Place.

RAN away from the Subscriber, of *York* County, in *Virginia*, on the 11th of *June*, a Servant man, named *Thomas Simpson*: He is a *Yorkshire* Man, a Farmer, and pretends to Shoe making; about 5 Feet 10 Inches high; has a large Scar on his Right Shin, and another on his Ancle, which he says was occasion'd by wrestling: Had on a brown Linen Shirt, and Trowsers, and a Cotton Jacket, with Leather Buttons; but may have changed his Apparel. He went off in Company with a Servant Man, belonging to Mr. *William Stevenson*, at *York*: It is suppos'd they are gone off in a large *New England* Perriague, with a Forecastle in her.

Whoever apprehends the said Run-away, and delivers him to me, in *York* County, shall have Two PISTOLES Reward, if taken in the said County, and Four PISTOLES if taken in any other County in *Virginia*; and Six PISTOLES if taken in any other Government. JOHN WORMLEY.

King William County, *Virginia*, *June* 12, 1749.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living in *King William* County, *Virginia*, about Twelve Months ago, a sensible *Virginia*-born Negro Fellow, named *Jack Spurlock*, of a yellowish Complexion, and thin Visage; he is bow-legg'd, and speaks good *English*: He has a Scar on his Face, occasion'd by a Burn, and large Wrelks on his Back. Whoever brings the said Negro, dead or alive, to me, in *King William* County aforesaid, shall receive Ten PISTOLES Reward, besides the Allowance by Law. THOMAS DANSIE.

RAN away from a Flat, at *Waller's* Warehouse, in *King William* County, on the 30th of *May*, a Convict Servant Man, named *John Fowler*. He is about 5 Feet 3 Inches high, about 35 Years old, of a dark Complection, very square over the shoulders, and very strong made. He had on a Snuff-colour'd Coat, a strip'd Linsey Woolsey Waistcoat, a Pair of Green Plush Breeches, a white shirt, a Grizzle-Wig, and carried with him some old Cloaths. He has several Scars on his Head, plays on the Fiddle, is very fond of Liquor, and was brought up to the Sea. He is well acquainted with *Virginia*, *Maryland*, and *Pennsylvania*, was transported in Capt. *Cooper*, from *Hull*, and is a very subtle Fellow.

Whoever will convey the said Fellow to Mr. *Stevenson* at *York*, Mr. *Jacob Cooper*, at *Littlepage's*, or to me, in *King William*, shall receive Five PISTOLES Reward, and all Reasonable Charges. THOMAS DANSIE.

WILLIAM BICKNELL, SAIL-MAKER,
Who served his Time in his Majesty's Yard at Chatham,

LIVES now in *Annapolis*, and will make Sails for Ships, or other Vessels, in the best Manner, and at reasonable Rates: He may be found at Mr. *Williamson's*.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,

On Wednesday the 23d Day of August *next*,

TWO Lots in the Town of *Upper-Marlborough*, whereon is a good Dwelling-House, and sundry Out-Houses; now in the Occupation of Mr. *Benjamin Barry*, and has for many Years been a well-frequented Tavern. The Title is good and indisputable. The Sale to be at the said House, at Five o' Clock in the Afternoon, or as soon as the Court breaks up.

MARY FRAZIER.

JOHN FEARON,

Removed to the Store-House of Mr. ROBERT SWAN, *near the Court House in* Annapolis,

SELLS *European* and *India* Goods at the Lowest Prices, for Ready Money, or Tobacco lying in any Inspecting-House on the Western Shore. Constant Attendance is given by Mr. *Samuel Chapman*, or JOHN FEARON.

Annapolis, July 12, 1749.

RAN away from *Nanticoke* River, in *Somerset* County, (where he was then at Work for Mr. *Dames*,) an *Irish* Convict Servant Man, a Cooper by Trade, belonging to the Subscriber; he is a short well set Fellow, about 27 Years of Age, broad faced, has red Hair, and speaks but indifferent *English*: He had on when he went away a blue Pea Jacket, an Osnabrigs Shirt, and Trowsers of the same; but may possibly have changed his Apparel. Whoever will bring the said Servant to Mr. *William Dames*, Merchant in *Queen Anne's* County, or to the Subscriber at *Annapolis*, shall have Fifty Shillings Reward, if taken in *Maryland*; or Five Pounds, if taken in *Pennsylvania* or *Virginia*; and reasonable Charges.

PATRICK DORAN.

JUST IMPORTED

By WILLIAM GOVANE, *and to be SOLD by Wholesale, at his House near* Annapolis, *for Ready Money, or short Credit, at the cheapest Rates*,

CHOICE *Barbadoes*, *Antigua*, and *New-England* Rum, Loaf Sugar, Best *Barbadoes* Potted Ditto, Fine Muscovado Ditto, Iron Pots, Kettles, and Skillets, Train Oil, *&c. &c. &c.*

Herring-Creek, Anne Arundel County, *July* 12.

SOME Time last *January*, was delivered to me a small Case, mark'd, IWE No. 1: the IWE join'd in one.

Whoever can prove their Property, may have the same, only paying the Charge of this Advertisement.

JOHN WEST.

TO BE RUN FOR,

At LEEDS-TOWN, *in* Virginia, *on Wednesday the* 17*th of* September *next*,

A Purse of about Thirty-five Pounds Value, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, carrying Weight for Inches; the Heats three Miles. And,

On Thursday the 18th of the same Month, will be Run for at the same Place, a Plate of about One hundred Pounds Value by any Horse, *&c.* to carry 10 Stone, the Heats 4 Miles.

That Gentlemen may be more particularly informed of the Terms of Running, Copies of each Subscription are lodged at the Printing Office in *Annapolis*.

TO BE RUN FOR, on the Race Ground near the City of Annapolis, *on Friday the* 29*th Day of* September *next*,

A PURSE of the value of TWENTY POUNDS Currency, Three Heats, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, bred in this Province, to carry Seven Stone.

The said Horses, Mares, or Geldings, to be entered the preceding Day, by XII of the Clock, with *Jonas Green* at *Annapolis*, and to pay each Twenty Shillings Entrance, for the Benefit of the Second Best.

All Disputes to be determined by the Mayor and Aldermen present.

SAMUEL SOUMAIEN, *Goldsmith*,

IS Removed, from his late Dwelling-House over against the Town-Pump in *South-east street*, to the House in *Church-Street*, where the Widow *Minskie* lately kept Tavern, near the Church; where any Gentlemen or others, may be furnish'd with all sorts of Gold or Silver Work, as usual.

N. B. As Mrs. *Minskie* will give up her Licence at *August* Court, and keep Tavern no longer, she desires all Persons Indebted to her, to make speedy Payment, and thereby prevent her and themselves any further Trouble. She sells choice *West-India* Rum at 6*s* 6*d* per Gallon, Sugar, Candles, Soap, *&c.*

Annapolis, July 3, 1749.

THE Subscriber intending to depart this Province early in the Fall, gives this public Notice. And all Persons Indebted to him, or Mr. *James Johnson*, late of this Place, Merchant, by Bonds, Notes of Hand, or open Accounts, are desired to pay off and settle the same; which will prevent them Trouble from

ROBERT SWAN.

THIS is to give Notice to all Persons who still remain indebted to the Estate of *Thomas Lloyd*, deceased, that if they do not come and pay off their respective Ballances on or before the last Day of *September* next, they will be dealt with as the Law directs, without any further Delay. And all persons who have any Claims against the said Estate, are desired to bring them in, in order to be paid.

June 21, 1749. JAMES DICK, Executor.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on the 9th of *June* last, a Convict Servant Man, named *George Gold*, a Glazier and Plummer by Trade, aged about 30 Years, of a middle Stature, fair Complection, has a large Scar on his right Cheek, under his Eye, and several about his Head; has a proud flirting Walk, and his Knees stand somwhat in: He had on when he went away a short Wig, a darkish camblet Coat, a cloth Waistcoat without Sleeves, and Breeches of the same, a Pair of Fustan Breeches with brass Buttons, and grey Stockings: He may have other Cloaths, may probably change his Name, have a false Pass, and pretend to some other Trade.

Whoever takes up the said Servant and brings him home, if taken in this County, shall have Ten Shillings more than the Law allows; if out of the County, Twenty Shillings; and if taken out of the Province, Two Pistoles, besides what the Law allows; and reasonable Charges, paid by

PATRICK CRAGH.

Queen Anne's County, *May* 23, 1749.

RAN away from the Subscriber, on Tuesday the 2d Instant, a lusty young Negro Fellow named *Phil*, about 22 Years of Age, round faced, and somewhat in-kneed; had on when he went away a Dove-colour'd halfthick Coat and Breeches, a dark colour'd halfthick Jacket, an Osnabrigs Shirt and Yarn Stockings: He carried with him a young likely Negro Wench, belonging to Mr. *Nathan Wright*, and is supposed to be in Company with her. Whoever secures the said Negro Man so as he may be had again, shall have Forty Shillings Reward, besides what the Law allows, if taken on the Western Shore; or if taken on the Eastern Shore, and brought to the Subscriber at Mr. *Charles Browne's* near *Queen's Town*, Twenty Shillings, besides what the Law allows, paid by

JOHN BRACCO.

Annapolis, April 26, 1749.

THIS is to give Notice to all those who have any Bonds in the Loan-Office, that if they do not come and pay the Interests due upon the same, on or before the last Day of *October* next ensuing the Date hereof, the Commissioners, in Discharge of the Trust reposed in them by the Public, will think themselves obliged to enter up Judgment, and sue out Executions on the same; and this they are determined to do, unless those who are concerned take due Care to prevent it.

By Order of the Commissioners,

R. DORSEY, *Clerk of the Pap. Cur. Office.*

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